

THIRD ANNUAL REPORT 1967
CUMONT MINES LIMITED (N.P.L.)





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Engineering: Surveymin Limited Geological: R. H. Seraphim, Ph.D., P.Eng.

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AUDITORS

McDonald, Currie & Co.

Vancouver

BANKERS

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce

Vancouver

SOLICITORS

Lawrence, Shaw, Stewart & McLoughlin

Vancouver

REGISTRAR AND TRANSFER AGENT

Guaranty Trust Company of Canada

Vancouver

SHARES LISTED

Vancouver Stock Exchange

Vancouver

ANNUAL MEETING

Hotel Vancouver, Alouette Room, 11 a.m., Wednesday, July 3, 1968.



REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

To the Shareholders:



J. A. Harquail, President

Your directors are pleased to present the third annual report of the company which also includes financial statements for the year ended December 31, 1967.

Several events have taken place during the past year which reflect the high interest in the Copper Mountain region and its mineral potential.

Your directors received a proposal early this year to exchange certain of Cumont's claims for those owned by a neighbouring company. Under the proposal, Cumont would have retained a royalty on any ore mined from its claims. Careful consideration was given to this offer but your directors decided that the Cumont claims in question were a valuable asset and should be retained.

Late last year Newmont Mining Corporation purchased all of the Granby properties in the Copper Mountain area for the equivalent of \$11.5 million. Since that time Newmont has spent about \$2 million on a large-scale surface and underground exploration program, with up to 15 drills in operation at one tme. It is expected that Newmont will make a decision regarding production on completion of their present exploration program.

Your directors believe that Cumont's properties are becoming even more valuable at a result of the surface and underground developments on Newmont's property. Developments at Newmont's Ingerbelle Mine may have an important bearing on our Elephant and Honeysuckle areas.

Discussions are now in progress regarding future financing and we hope to report terms of this financing to you in the near future.

EXPLORATION PROGRAM

Surface exploration was done on Cumont's Copper Mountain properties during 1967. Surface trenching and sampling of the Oronoco Zone returned interesting copper values over substantial widths. It is possible that this is a faulted extension of the Honeysuckle Zone. A map, showing the location of mineralized zones and property boundaries, accompanies this report.

Exploration is now in progress on various parts of the Cumont holdings. It consists of detailed geological, geochmical and geophysical surveys with work being concentrated in the Elephant and No. 14 Shaft areas.

An interesting development is the recent discovery of copper mineralization on Cumont ground between the Honeysuckle Zone and the Ingerbelle adit portal. It is not possible to assess the importance of this discovery until more work is completed here.

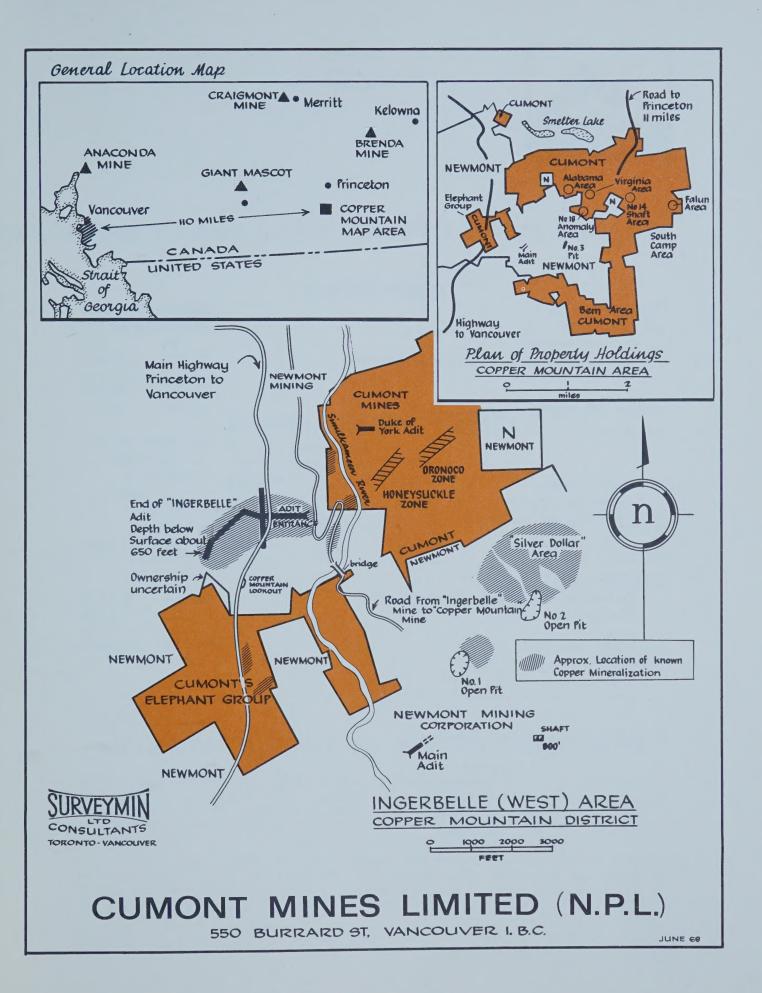
Present plans are to expand the exploration program and to undertake surface drilling later this year.

We wish to report the death earlier this year of Miss Patricia Ravey, one of the founders and a major shareholder of your company. Her father, one of the pioneers in the Copper Mountain camp, worked with Voight and other early prospectors. Following her father's death, Miss Ravey attempted to interest mining companies in the extensive holdings which her father had entrusted to her. It is unfortunate that Miss Ravey did not live to enjoy the fruits of her many years of persistent effort. She believed that Copper Mountain would eventually develop several producing mines. We wish to express to the members of her immediate family our sincerest sympathy.

On behalf of the Board,

Vancouver, B.C. June 11, 1968

President (





CURRENT ASSETS

MINERAL PROPERTIES -

Camp buildings

Automotive equipment

FIXED ASSETS

CUMONT MINES LIMITED (N.P.L.) BALANCE SHEET AS AT D

2,101

1,597

ASSETS

Cash			\$	38,243	\$ 60,705
Accrued interest				94	445
Marketable securities — at co	ost and ma	arket		35,000	75,000
			_	73,337	136,150
ERAL PROPERTIES — at cost (note 1)			90,711	90,711
ED ASSETS					
	Cost	Accumulated depreciation	Net		

2,166

1,502

1967

1966

	Machinery and equipment	2,9/3	1,360	1,613		
		10,339	5,058	5,281	5,281	7,544
D	EFERRED COSTS				000 064	007.107
	Exploration, development and				232,864	207,187
	Incorporation				1,350	1,350
					\$403,543	\$442,942

4,267

3,099

SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

J. A. HARQUAIL Director

JOHN J. BROWN Director MBER 31, 1967

LIABILITIES

CURRENT LIABILITIES	19	67	1966
Accounts payable	\$	788	\$ 44,547

SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

CAPITAL STOCK (note 2)

Authorized —

3,000,000 shares of the par value of 50 cents each

Issued —

982,980 shares for cash

800,000 shares for mineral properties

1,782,980

322,755

80,000

80,000

402,755

398,395

\$403,543 \$442,942

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

We have examined the balance sheet of Cumont Mines Limited (N.P.L.) as at December 31, 1967, and the statements of deferred exploration, development and administration costs and source and use of working capital for the year then ended. Our examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the company as at December 31, 1967 and the results of its operations and the source and use of its working capital for the year then ended, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding period.

Vancouver, B.C. March 21, 1968

McDONALD, CURRIE & CO. Chartered Accountants



CUMONT MINES LIMITED (N.P.L.)

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 1967

1. MINERAL PROPERTIES

The company acquired the Copper Mountain Group of mineral claims and leases located in the Similkameen Mining Division of the Province of British Columbia for cash payments of \$10,711 and 800,000 shares of capital stock of the company having a value ascribed thereto \$80,000. The company must pay to Cominco five percent of the net smelter returns on the ore extracted from a portion of the claims.

2. CAPITAL STOCK

(a) Shares issued and their related discounts and premiums are classified as follows:

For cash —	Shares issued	Par value	Discounts	Premiums	Net
To December 31, 1966 During 1967	\$962,980 20,000	\$481,490 10,000	\$254,690 5,640	\$ 91,595	\$318,395 4,360
	982,980	491,490	260,330	91,595	322,755
For properties — To December 31, 1966	800,000	400,000	320,000		80,000
	\$1,782,980	\$891,490	\$580,330	\$ 91,595	\$402,755

(b) The company has reserved 50,000 treasury shares for the purpose of granting incentive options to company personnel including officers and directors. A price of 25% less than the current bid price on the day on which the options are exercised has been set on these shares. The options are to expire December 31, 1968. As at December 31, 1967, there were 20,000 shares still held in reserve.

3. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

During the period \$12,000 was paid to directors and to companies controlled by them, for their services as consultants and employees of the company.



CUMONT MINES LIMITED (N.P.L.)

STATEMENT OF SOURCE AND USE OF WORKING CAPITAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1967

March 10, 1965

		(Date of incorporation)
SOURCE	1967	December 31, 1966
	\$ 4,360	\$313,098
USE	05.655	
Exploration, development and administration expenses Less: Items included in costs which are not a use of working capital —	25,677	207,187
Depreciation	(2,263)	(2,795)
Expenses incurred prior to incorporation paid by issue of shares		(5,297)
	23,414	199,095
Fixed asset additions		10,339
Mineral properties acquired		10,711 1,350
	23,414	221,495
DECREASE (INCREASE) IN WORKING CAPITAL	19,054	(91,603)
WORKING CAPITAL — BEGINNING OF PERIOD	91,603	Nil
WORKING CAPITAL — END OF PERIOD	72,549	91,603
REPRESENTED BY:		
Current assets	73,337	136,150
Less: Current liabilities	788	44,547
WORKING CAPITAL — END OF PERIOD	\$ 72,549	\$ 91,603
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STATEMENT OF DEFERRED EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT AND ADMINISTRATION COSTS

TO DECEMBER 31, 1967 (Copper Mountain Group)

March 10, 1965 (Date of incorporation) to

December 31, 1966

1967

BALANCE — BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$207,187	Nil
Expenses incurred prior to incorporation		\$ 5,297
Assaying	210	3,983
Assessment work and recording fees	3,287	1 704
Automotive equipment operation		1,794 460
Contract surveyingCookhouse and camp supplies	70	
Consulting and engineering	8	7,053 7,079
Consulting and engineering Depreciation		2,795
	40.000	81,268
Drilling		2,420
Equipment rental and storage	1,200	3,600
Field management and consulting		14,445
Geophysical survey		7,028
Insurance		276
Licences and taxes		1,379
Line cutting		9,495
Maps and blueprints		1,161
Mineral lease rentals		982
Prospecting and field expense		2,397
Wages and wage assessments		16,397
Stripping, trenching and bulldozing	2,685	9,951
Travel		4,471
	12,204	183,731
Administration costs — per schedule		23,456
Total expenses during period	25,677	207,187
BALANCE — END OF PERIOD	\$232,864	\$207,187

SCHEDULE OF ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1967

March 10, 1965 (Date of incorporation)

		to
	1967	December 31, 1966
Audit	495	\$ 1,370
Bank charges and interest	4	67
Consulting and management fees	8,125	8,570
Directors' meetings and expense	74	128
Dues and subscriptions	25	1,010
Legal fees	608	2,919
Office administration fees	3,600	3,820
Postage	57	88
Printing, stationery and office supplies	124	863
Promotion and advertising	118	319
Registrar and transfer agent	334	
Shareholders' information and reports	1,394	
Telephone and telegraph	566	1,177
Travel	1,834	4,348
	17,358	29,796
Less: Interest earned on investments	3,885	6,340
TOTAL, transferred to deferred costs	13,473	\$ 23,456
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